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Laingsburg.

C. R. Bailey and wife are away spending their summer vacation—Mrs. Dr. Scott and Mrs. R. A. Watters left for Ontario last week for a visit among their friends and relatives there—Edith Swarthout is visiting friends in Owosso—We understand that Dr. E. Partlow has sold his practice here and will soon move away—Bert Britnell, late of Corunna, has rented an office in the Rohrabacher block and will engage in the law practice here—At a meeting of the school board Monday evening J. W. Scoutten was elected president of the board, G. W. Swarthout director, and J. V. D. Wyckoff treasurer—P. Bacon has put a gas engine into his wheat elevator and now has things in apple pie order to handle grain and produce—Russell Johnson has opened ice cream parlors in the Treffery millinery building—Mrs. Mary Morley is visiting at Layton Swarthout's—We have a splendid hay crop and the wheat is a fair crop in this locality. Harvesting is about completed.

Ovid.

Miss Jessie Bruce is visiting her parents in Detroit—Miss Mae Church is seriously ill at her home with pleurisy—Mrs. Ella Warner left last Thursday evening for Canada to visit friends—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robson and children are visiting her parents in Detroit—Miss Minnie Drake, who has been visiting in Northville, returned home last week—Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Martin left for Bay View Saturday morning and expect to remain two weeks—Mrs. Herbert Warner met her husband who was visiting his parents here, Saturday of last week—Mrs. M. L. Woodruff has returned to her home in Ypsilanti, after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bowley—Mrs. H. Hubbard and brother, D. E. Luther, leave Wednesday morning for a visit to their parents in Albion and New York—The reception to Dr. and Mrs. Martin was a great success. The spacious home of Mrs. Mary Robson was beautifully decorated with flowers by Miss Jennie, and with social chat, a brief address by Mr. Shaw and Rev. G. P. Mitchell, the response by Dr. Martin, and the dainty refreshments, made it one of the most enjoyable receptions ever held.

Burton.

The farmers are very busy in this vicinity harvesting their wheat—Mrs. R. Bagley, of St. Johns, spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. G. Gibson—Mrs. S. S. Fleming left Tuesday to visit her aged mother in Stoughton, O.—Mesdames G. C. Rogers, W. M. Mitchell, D. B. Green, S. Dobbins, E. T. Wilson and Miss Grace Green were guests of Mrs. Elmer Cowan, at Ovid, Saturday—Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Vincent were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cadz Sunday—Mrs. Putman and Mrs. James Ockerman spent two days the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Banghart, of Oakley—Mrs. W. Tyler and daughter Winnie, of Gladwin, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Simpson—Mrs. S. Dobbins and sons Dale, Charles and Montie, of Marshall, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Mitchell—Miss Mary Green, of Rochester, Oakland county, is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. C. Rogers, and her brother, D. B. Green—Miss Nellie Brokaw, of Ovid, spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Potter—Miss Ina Cramer returned home Saturday after a week's visit with friends in Milwaukee—Mrs. E. T. Wilson and son Egerton, of Owosso, spent last week with her mother of this place—Miss Kate Potter is visiting her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brokaw, of Ovid—Mrs. D. S. Cramer returned Saturday from her tour around the lakes—The Endeavor meeting Sunday morning will be conducted by Miss Sarah McWilliams. Topic: "False worship and true."—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cadz, Misses Allie and Grace Wright and A. Vincent were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Vincent, Wednesday.

Vernon.

Mrs. Albert Graham, of Mt. Pleasant, visited here the past week—Mrs. Holt moved her household goods to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harry Johnson, Saturday—Miss Iva Clark is visiting in Detroit—Mrs. Wm. Garrison and son, Glen, are visiting at W. D. Garrison's—Mrs. F. A. Stephens is enjoying a visit from her two sisters—Miss Carrie Davidson is away on a visit—Miss Emma Welch, of Fenton, was in town Tuesday to organize a class in music—Mr. and Mrs. W. Crane, of Detroit, are visiting the Holmes here—Mrs. A. Garrison entertained quite a company of ladies on Wednesday at a quilting bee—Mrs. Harvey Martin spent Sunday in Detroit with her husband, who is at Harper's Hospital—The Baptist people held a lawn social in front of the church, Wednesday evening—Prof. Sheehan now rides a new wheel—Lucian Patterson is home from Pennsylvania, where he has been the past year—Miss Stella Dorrance is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. G. Holmes, in this place—George Minto was in town last week—John Patterson left for the northern part of the state the first of the week, where he will buy stock—A number from this place attended the races at Detroit the past week.

White Sewing Machine.

New White Sewing Machine—latest and best pattern—for \$35.00, or will trade for hard wood. Enquire at this office.

Alumni to be Reorganized.

The movement set on foot some time since by the class of '94, Owosso High School, for the reorganization of the alumni association was brought to a focus Tuesday night at a meeting in the Y. M. C. A. rooms. The meeting was not very large owing to the shortness of the notice and the warmth of the evening, but it was decided to go ahead with the reorganization. R. Howard Daniels was made chairman of the meeting and Ed. Hunt secretary, after which the following officers were elected: H. K. White, president; Mrs. J. H. Laverock, vice president; R. H. Daniels, secretary; Miss Helen Snanfelt, treasurer. The officers with such other members as the president should appoint were made a committee to draw up constitution and by-laws. The meeting then adjourned until the Friday preceeding the opening of school.

Board of Education Re-organized.

The new board of education met at the office of W. M. Kilpatrick Tuesday evening and organized for the coming year. Dr. B. S. Knapp was duly sworn in and appointed to the same places on the committees which his predecessor, Mr. Dawes, had occupied. President Kilpatrick was re-elected as was also Sec'y Shattuck. Herman Frieske was elected treasurer to succeed Mr. Dawes. The resignation of Miss Anna Hurrell as principal of the Emerson school was read and accepted. Some minor bills were received and passed upon, and an agent for some patent window shades entertained the board with a description of his samples. The board then adjourned to Connor's ice cream parlors at the invitation of Pres. Kilpatrick, and held a short session at which considerable business was transacted at the expense of the re-elected president, who by the way had but just returned from his wedding trip.

Byron.

Wheat harvest is the order of the day and the sound of the binder has been the most common sound for the last week, yet quite a number of farmers didn't get through haying before the wheat was ready—A. E. Richards, of Corunna, was in Byron last week—Mrs. J. D. Royce was here last week calling on her many friends—Roy and Mrs. W. W. Benson are in Canada spending a three weeks vacation granted by the church. They started last Wednesday evening, intending to be in Toronto to attend the international convention of the Epworth League—B. S. Williams was called to Pine City, Indiana, last Wednesday on account of the death of his brother's wife—Mrs. J. J. Davis and children visited at A. W. Holington's Thursday—Wm. Sayers has been recently afflicted with boils and was not able to come to his harness shop. He is out again, though not entirely free from them—Charles Carter, who lived three miles north of here, hung himself Saturday morning, climbing a tree he adjusted a rope around his neck, tied it to a limb, said good bye to wife and family and threw himself into eternity—Lewis Goff, of Rochester, Oakland county, in town last week—Orville Royce, of Owosso, was visiting in Byron last week—Thomas Gordon Jr., of Howell, in Byron one day last week—Miss Edith Schroeder, of Howell, visited at V. L. Stark's last week—Mrs. E. E. Kohler and little girl are visiting at Rochester—Miss Flora Bennett entertained Misses Luella and Carrie Faber, of Flint, recently—Eva Lawrie is in Detroit caring for her brother Eugene, who is again sick—Joseph Cooper and wife, of Fowler, were guests at Frank Savage's Thursday—W. F. Close is having an iron bridge put up across the river on his farm—Mr. and Mrs. Pratt, of Saginaw, occupy Rev. W. W. Benson's house during his absence in Canada—John Nickols, formerly a blacksmith in Byron, but recently troubled with softening of the brain, died last week and was buried Friday by the G. A. R. Post, sermon by a Spiritualist of Saginaw—Mrs. A. W. Holington and her company went to St. Johns on a visit Saturday, returning Wednesday—Mrs. L. J. Holington and Mrs. DeLong have gone to their homes in Marcellus and Three Rivers respectively—Mrs. Peters, of California, and Mrs. Lombard, of Bay City, were guests at James Sleeth's on Tuesday—H. W. Bunce and son Dwight returned Wednesday from a visit at Milan—Fanny Short is visiting in Newberg and vicinity—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Davis, of Owosso, are visiting at A. Orr's this week—Fred Pond, of Owosso, is at William McKinney's this week—Miss Susie Smith, of Durand, has returned home after spending a week with Fanny Hankey—Miss Amy Cooper, of Fowlerville, is a guest at F. Savage's.

Eclipse of the Sun.

An eclipse of the sun, and the last one for this year, is scheduled to occur July 29. It is an annual eclipse and will be visible as a partial eclipse in the United States. It begins at eight o'clock in the morning and ends at one o'clock. According to weather prophet Hicks it will be followed by atmospheric disturbances and accompanied by severe rain and thunder storms.

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Death of "Lawrie" Gould.

Last week Tuesday Morris Osburn received a telegram from C. J. Wimple stating that Lawrence P. Gould was dangerously sick with malarial fever, and later in the day that a competent nurse had been secured and that his condition was slightly better. He was then at Nogales, Arizona. At noon, Friday, another telegram came announcing his death and Wednesday morning Mr. Wimple reached Owosso via the Michigan Central with the body of his friend. Mr. Wimple states that Mr. Gould was not well when he left Owosso, in the latter part of June, and that when they reached Hermoselle, Mexico, where their mine was located, he was in a bad condition and quite unable to resist the effects of the climate. As he continued to get worse Mr. Wimple decided to get him back into United States territory, as by a Mexican law the body of one who dies in that country cannot be removed from the country for five years. Mr. Wimple got him as far as Nogales, Ariz., where he secured physicians and a nurse, but in spite of their efforts Mr. Gould died at two o'clock, Friday morning. Mr. Gould was still a young man and was a man of no mean ability. He was a graduate of the law department of the University of Michigan, and occupied the position of District Judge, at Lincoln, Neb., where he resided for a number of years. He was the youngest son of Judge and Mrs. Amos Gould. The funeral was held yesterday morning at half past ten o'clock, at the home of his sister, Mrs. Morris Osburn, east Oyster street where a large number of relatives and friends assembled to pay their last respects to the memory of the departed. The services were touching and appropriate to the age and temperament of the one who had gone. One of Edwin Arnold's poems, "After Death in Aradia," was read by Mrs. L. E. Gould, and appropriate remarks were made by Rev. J. C. Cromer. The music was by a male quartet, in charge of Mr. Ferry.

The afflicted relatives have the sympathy of the community in their sad bereavement.

Labor Will Celebrate.

It has become customary for Owosso to have a labor day celebration on alternate years, and this year the celebration again falls to this city. At a meeting held in the council room Friday evening it was decided that the celebration should be undertaken and committees were appointed to go ahead with the matter.

There are not many holidays in the course of the year, the Fourth, Christmas, and Decoration Day nearly filling the list, and while we have the Fourth to arouse our patriotism and to call to our minds our country's great political progress, and Decoration Day to keep in mind its brave defenders, it is only fitting and right that the industrial side of our national existence should also have a chance to be seen and understood. Hence it is fitting and patriotic in all to heartily unite in making this holiday one which will properly call attention to the great industrial development of our country. Our country is renowned for its great industries, and every American has a right to be proud of it and to share heartily in this celebration of Labor Day. The success of this year's celebration seems assured when the following list of committees, appointed Friday evening, is examined. Every one, however, should see to it that he assists the committeemen in every way possible:

President, Chas. W. Parker; secretary, Andrew Jackson; treasurer, Frank W. Smith. Auditing—D. J. Gerow, C. A. Connor, G. L. Taylor. Solliciting—J. H. Laverock, I. D. H. Ralph, A. D. Whipple. Arrangements—Felix Teal, John Abel, J. L. Ash, John Gayer. Entertainment—Jas. Osburn, A. Monroe, L. Irving Stewart. Music—C. Dell, S. B. Pratt, Chas. Tap-house. Printing and advertising—C. W. Parker, J. H. Laverock, F. E. Brooks. Trades Display—J. L. Curtis, John Fleming, Cyrus Matthews. Sports and Games—J. Terrill, B. Fitch, J. E. Shelton, Guy Cole. Decoration—M. L. Parker, Geo. Joy, S. B. Pitts. Transportation—I. D. H. Ralph, Ira G. Curry, S. M. Hodgins. Premium List—W. E. Bullard, F. E. Kohler, Joe Gerson. Reception—Mayor E. A. Gould, Aldermen T. M. Wiley, George Perrigo, G. F. Zimmerman, J. T. Walsh, J. H. Copas, V. M. White, J. M. Jordan, Geo. M. Dewey Jr., C. J. Shaw, Z. L. Watson. Special—J. M. Jordan, I. G. Curry, O. L. Sprague.

Street Railway.

The Owosso & Corunna St. Ry. is rebuilding one of the steam motor cars and will fit it up for a trailer, which will be a great convenience to the company in handling crowds.

Motor No. 1 has been repainted and given a general overhauling. It is now nearly ready for service again and will look like a new car.

Thomas Payne is learning the peculiarities of the electric fluid and the motors, and will soon be a full fledged motor man.



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Bicycle Path to Corunna to be Begun on Monday.

The Owosso Cycle Path Club held a meeting Monday evening at which Pres. C. W. Gale, Vice Pres. Wykes and Justice McCaughy were appointed as a committee on construction of the bicycle path between Owosso and Corunna.

The contract for the work has been awarded already to Thomas Dempsey, of Battle Creek, who is the builder of the Battle Creek paths which have given such excellent satisfaction and are probably the best in the state. So satisfactory have the paths proved that even where there was a good hard gravel road the change was so noticeable on passing to the path that between three and four miles more of the path are being built along this road in order to have it continuous for the whole seventeen miles.

The Owosso path will be completed in ten days from next Monday when the work will be begun. Gravel will be used for the greater part of the way east from Dewey street but cinders will probably be tried on the east end, Mr. Kincaid having offered to furnish them from the mine.

The directors are taking all possible pains and expect to show such a good path that the wheelmen of Owosso and intermediate towns will not be contented until the path is built through to Long Lake and Fenton, which can be easily done this summer. The cost of maintaining the path is slight.

Estey Factories.

Two shipments of furniture from factory B, this week to Africa, one to Natal, S. Africa and the other to Durban. Another shipment will be made the first of next week to East London, South Africa.

The equipment of factory B is soon to be improved by the addition of two large 36 inch planers. The planers have already been ordered and will be here in about two weeks. The addition will considerably increase the amount of furniture which can be turned out from this factory.

Factory A is farther behind its orders than Factory B, and the men here have been putting in twelve hours per day all this week, a program which could be kept up for some time without exhausting what orders are already in sight.

For some time past the capacity of the cutting room at Factory A has been inadequate to its needs and now an addition is to be built which will greatly increase the capacity of the department. The space between the present cutting room and the engine room will be built up and a large increase in the number of saws will be made as soon as this extra room is secured. A new engine will also be put in to run this department independently of the rest of the shop.

A large blower has been received for use in Factory A in addition to the one now in use, and it will probably be placed in position at the same time that the other changes are made.

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